



Minutes of the Auburn Hazard Mitigation Committee Meeting held on
April 20, 2011 in the Weare Safety Center,
144 N Stark Highway, Weare, NH 03281

MEMBERS PRESENT

Paul King	-	EMD, Chair
Doug Alwine	-	CERT
Daniel Gorman	-	Captain, Weare Fire
Tom Clow	-	Planning Board
Sue Tuthill	-	Weare Fire
Naomi Bolton	-	Town Administrator
Jeff Lewis	-	DPW
Jillian Harris	-	SNHPC

OVERVIEW OF THE HAZARD MITIGATION PLANNING PROCESS

Ms. Harris reviewed the Hazard Mitigation Plan update process with the committee. She noted that a hazard mitigation plan must be in place to receive FEMA funding and that it documents hazard potentials. Ms. Harris also reviewed the scope of work to be completed, which would include 5 meetings with the committee to update the plan. These meetings will be held on a monthly basis with the goal of sending the finalized plan to FEMA for conditional approval.

IDENTIFY/UPDATE PAST AND POTENTIAL HAZARDS

Mr. King provided the committee with a copy of the original Hazard Mitigation Plan and Ms. Harris provided the committee with the past and potential hazards maps. The committee updated both the Past and Potential Hazards section (Section II) and the maps by identifying hazard areas from the past 5 years and areas that might be new potential hazards in the future. Several new flooding sites and debris-impacted infrastructure were identified by the committee.

IDENTIFY/UPDATE CRITICAL FACILITIES

Ms. Harris provided the committee with the critical facilities, commercial economic impact areas and hazardous materials maps and the committee updated them by identifying any changes that have taken place since the previous plan.

REVIEW REPETITIVE LOSS PROPERTIES

There was one repetitive loss property identified in the Town of Weare from the past 5 years. Ms. Harris informed the committee of the new guideline to address this in the plan

and that it would be discussed along with the National Flood Insurance Program information that is also required for the plan update. The general area will be mapped so as not to identify the specific property for privacy reasons.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

The committee will meet next on May 18, 2011 at 10:00 am in the Weare Safety Complex.

Meeting adjourned.